

## **Fall Term 2008**

(70 class days—42 MWF and 28 TTH)

Wednesday, August 13	International Students Arrive (Residence Halls open for International Students ONLY)
Thursday-Friday, August 14-15	International Student Orientation at Center for International Education, 8:00 a.m – 5:00 p.m.
Saturday, August 16	Residence Halls open (NEW STUDENTS ONLY) New Student Orientation Begins <b>CONVOCATION 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.</b>
Sunday, August 17	Residence Halls Open 12:00 Noon (RETURNING STUDENTS)
Monday-Tuesday, August 18-19	Academic Advising and Registration. New Student Registration. Activation of Registration by New and Returning Students
Wednesday, August 20	<b>Classes Begin</b>
Wednesday, August 27	Last Day to ADD Course for Credit. Last Day to DROP Course without Financial Penalty. Deadline to Apply for December Graduation. Last Day to Change Meal Plan Selection
Monday, September 1	LABOR DAY (University Holiday--no classes)
Wednesday, September 3	Last Day to Adjust Fall Schedule without Financial Penalty
Thursday, Friday October 9-10	FALL BREAK
Friday, October 10	Mid-term Grade Reports Due to Registrar via BannerWeb
Wednesday, October 15	Town Meeting on Diversity
Friday, October 17	Last Day to Drop Course without Academic Penalty.
Monday-Friday, October 20-24	Academic Advising for Upper-class Students for Spring Semester
Monday-Tuesday, October 27-28	Registration for Upper-class Students for Spring Semester
Monday-Wednesday, November 3-5	Academic Advising for First-Year Students for Spring Semester
Thursday, November 6	Registration for First-year Students for Spring Semester
Wednesday, November 26	No Classes
Thursday, Friday, November 27-28	THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY
Wednesday, December 3	<b>Classes End</b>
Thursday, December 4	Reading Day
Friday-Thursday, December 5-11	<b>FINAL EXAMINATIONS</b>
Thursday, December 11	Final Grades for Graduating Students Due to Registrar via BannerWeb by 9:00 a.m.
Friday, December 12	<b>Graduate Commencement 7:00 p.m.</b>
Saturday, December 13	<b>Undergraduate Commencement 9:00 a.m.</b>
	Residence Halls close 3:00 p.m. for ALL STUDENTS
Thursday, December 18	All Grades Due to Registrar by 9:00 a.m.

## **Spring Term, 2009**

(70 class days-41 MWF and 29 TTH)

Sunday, January 11	Residence Halls Open at Noon for all Students
Monday, January 12	New Student Registration
Tuesday, January 13	Activation of Registration by New and Returning Students
Monday, January 19	<b>CLASSES BEGIN</b>
Tuesday, January 20	Martin Luther King Day (University Holiday—no classes) Last Day to Add Course for Credit.
	Last Day to Drop Course without Financial Penalty
	Deadline to Apply for May graduation.
	Last Day to Change Meal Plan Selection
Tuesday, January 27	Last Day to Adjust Spring Schedule without Financial Penalty
Friday, February 27	Mid-Term Grade Reports Due to Registrar via BannerWeb
Monday-Friday, March 2-6	Residence Halls close 6:00 p.m.
Sunday, March 8	<b>SPRING HOLIDAYS</b>
Monday, March 9	Residence Halls Open 12:00 noon
Wednesday, March 11	Classes Resume
Monday-Friday, March 23-27	Last Day to Drop Course Without Academic Penalty
Friday, April 10	Academic Advising for Summer Session and Fall Semester
Tuesday-Thursday, March 31-April 2	Good Friday (University Holiday)
Wednesday, April 29	Pre-Registration for Summer Session and Fall Semester
Thursday, April 30	<b>Classes End</b>
Friday-Saturday;	Reading Day and Thursday Evening Course Final Exams
Monday-Wednesday, May 1-6	<b>FINAL EXAMINATIONS</b>
Wednesday, May 6	Residence Halls Close 6:00 p.m. (except for those students participating in Commencement)
Thursday, May 7	Final Grades for Graduating Students Due to Registrar via BannerWeb by 9:00 a.m.
Friday, May 8	<b>Baccalaureate</b>
Saturday, May 9	<b>Undergraduate &amp; Graduate Commencements</b>
Monday, May 18	Residence Halls Close 6:00 p.m. Grades for All students Due to Registrar via BannerWeb by 9:00 a.m.

**Summer Session, 2009**

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**Session 1**

Monday, May 11

**Evening classes begin for Session 1**

Residence Halls open 12:00 noon

Tuesday, May 12

**Day Classes begin for Session 1**

Activation of Registration Deadline

Wednesday, May 13

Last Day to Add Course for Credit

Friday, May 15

Last Day to Drop Course without Financial Penalty for courses in progress

Monday, May 25

Memorial Day (no classes)

Thursday, May 21

Last Day to Drop Course without Academic Penalty

Friday, June 5

**Final Exams for Session 1**

Friday, June 12

Final Grades for Session 1 due to registrar

**Session 2**

Monday, June 8

**Classes begin for Session 2**

Tuesday, June 9

Last Day to Add Course for Credit

Thursday, June 11

Last Day to Drop Course without Financial Penalty for courses in progress

Thursday, June 18

Last Day to Drop Course without Academic Penalty

Wednesday, July 1

**Final Exams for Session 2**

Friday, July 3

INDEPENDENCE DAY (University Holiday)

Thursday, July 9

Session 2 Final Grades Due

**Session 3**

Monday, May 11

**Evening classes begin for Session 3**

Tuesday, May 12

**Day classes begin for Session 3**

Wednesday, May 13

Last Day to Add Course for Credit

Friday, May 15

Last Day to Drop Course without Financial Penalty for courses in progress

Thursday, May 21

Last Day to Drop Course without Academic Penalty

Monday, May 25

Memorial Day (no classes)

Wednesday-Thursday, July 1-2

**Final Exams for Session 3**

Friday, July 3

INDEPENDENCE DAY (University Holiday)

Thursday, July 9

All Grades Due to Registrar via BannerWeb by 9:00 a.m.

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Summer Graduation Date